IN THE CLAIMS

This listing of claims replaces all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application.

- 1. (Currently Amended) A method <u>for decreasing fat absorption in mammals</u> comprising: feeding an animal food and a liposome-encapsulated anti-lipase antibody.
- 2. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 1 wherein said anti-lipase antibody is an avian antibody.
- 3. (Currently Amended) The method of claim 2 further comprising at least one of storing wherein said liposome-encapsulated anti-lipase antibody is in a wet state and freeze drying said liposome-encapsulated anti-lipase antibody.
 - 4. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 1 wherein said animal is a mammal.
 - 5. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 1 wherein said animal is an avian.
 - 6-11. (Canceled).
- 12. (Currently Amended) The method of claim 1 further comprising forming wherein said liposome-encapsulated anti-lipase antibody is formed prior to said feeding.
- 13. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 1 wherein said animal food comprises dietary lipid.
- 14. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 1 wherein said animal food comprises 25 to 1000 mg of said liposome-encapsulated anti-lipase antibody per kilogram of animal food.

- 15. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 1 wherein said animal food comprises at least 25 mg of said liposome-encapsulated anti-lipase antibody per kilogram of animal food.
- 16. (Currently Amended) A composition <u>for decreasing fat absorption in mammals</u>, comprising: a mixture of food for an animal and a liposome-encapsulated anti-lipase antibody.
- 17. (Previously Presented) The composition of claim 16 which contains 25-1000 mg of said liposome-encapsulated anti-lipase antibody per kilogram of said food.
- 18. (Previously Presented) The composition of claim 16 wherein said anti-lipase antibody is an avian anti-lipase antibody.
- 19. (Previously Presented) The composition of claim 16 wherein said liposome-encapsulated anti-lipase antibody is in one of a wet state and a freeze dried state.
 - 20-21. Canceled.
- 22. (Previously Presented) The composition of claim 16 wherein said food comprises dietary lipid.
- 23. (Previously Presented) The composition of claim 16 wherein said food comprises at least 25 mg of said liposome-encapsulated anti-lipase antibody per kilogram of animal food.
- 24. (Previously Presented) The composition of claim 23 wherein said anti-lipase antibody is an avian anti-lipase antibody.
- 25. (Currently Amended) A method of making a composition for decreasing fat absorption in mammals comprising, said composition comprising a mixture of food for an animal and a liposome-encapsulated anti-lipase antibody, said method comprising:

forming said mixing a liposome-encapsulated anti-lipase antibody with food. [[;]] mixing said liposome-encapsulated anti-lipase antibody with said food.

- 26.-31. (Cancelled)
- 32. (Currently Amended) A method of using a liposome-encapsulated anti-lipase antibody for decreasing fat absorption in mammals comprising:

feeding said liposome-encapsulated anti-lipase antibody to an animal.

- 33. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 32 wherein said anti-lipase antibody is an avian anti-lipase antibody.
- 34. (Currently Amended) The method of claim 32 further comprising freeze drying wherein said liposome-encapsulated anti-lipase antibody is freeze dried.
- 35. (Currently Amended) The method of claim 32 further comprising mixing said wherein liposome-encapsulated anti-lipase antibody is mixed with food for said animal.
 - 36.- 42. (Cancelled)